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## THE HOMER FITTS COMPANY

### GIRL EMPLOYEES CAUGHT BY FIRE AND KILLED

The Dead Will Number 12 at Least, as Result of Fire in a London Factory Building.

London, July 24.—Seven girls were killed, five were fatally injured and several others severely injured in a fire yesterday in a four-story building in Moor lane, in the heart of the city, occupied by celluloid Christmas card manufacturers, who employed many females. The fire started in a front room on the top floor and spread quickly. To reach the stairs, the girls in the back room had to pass through the front room and before they realized their danger the flames had cut off the means of escape.

In a few minutes the back room was ablaze. Some of the girls reached the roof and escaped by crossing a plank to the next building, 10 feet distant, but one lost her footing and fell. Two were seized by the flames before they could gain the dizzy bridge, and a large number leaped from the windows to the pavement, several of them being horribly mangled. Five of the girls were burned to death.

The response of the fire brigade was prompt, but the swiftness of the fire and the fierceness of the flames belching from the windows prevented effective use of fire escapes.

### The Man Who Founded an Order of Monks in the Episcopal Church.

In the July American Magazine appears a sketch of Father Huntington, who founded in New York City an order of monks in the Episcopal church, so that they workers like himself may consecrate themselves entirely to God. Father Huntington is not an evangelist, but a trained thinker, grappling with the problems of the day. Following is an extract from the article:

"Thirty years ago one of the most striking figures on the East Side in New York City was a young priest of the Protestant Episcopal church, Rev. James O. H. Huntington. Fresh from Harvard and the theological seminary, burning with enthusiasm and sympathy for the poor, he threw in his lot where the struggle for life seemed fiercest and the spiritual needs deepest. His father, the bishop of western New York, was a convert from Unitarianism. He brought a fine New England culture, a love of the people, a broad outlook, sound judgment and earnestness to his new field but even he was surprised to find his son reacting so violently from the traditions of his race, and announcing the startling news that he was going to found an order of monks in the Episcopal church. This resolution was no fanatical wish to renounce the world, but grew out of his intense love of the world, his reading, observation, his association with other young men who saw the need of entire consecration, and the chance of undivided work for God and that community life offered. The English church had several religious orders, why should not the American branch form one better suited to her national life? After much thought and study, James Huntington, then only twenty-five, drew up a set of rules modeled on the Augustinian and, with two associates, founded the order of the Holy Cross. They adopted the Dominican habit, and Father Huntington took the first plunge, was professed, Bishop Potter receiving his vows.

"As was natural, he became the superior of the order. They continued to work in the parish of Holy Cross, on Fifth street and Avenue C, and it was there that Father Huntington exerted that extraordinary mental vitality and personal magnetism that swayed crowds, dominated great congregations, and won souls. He was no fiery evangelist working on the emotions, but a keen, trained thinker, grappling with all the problems of the day, crossing swords with atheists, with Jews, but more gladly with capitalists."

### Death of Bishop Warren.

Denver, Colo., July 24.—Bishop Henry W. Warren of the Methodist Episcopal church, who was retired from active work by the general conference last May, died here last night. He was stricken with pneumonia a few days ago.

### BARRE MERCHANT AND WIFE SURPRISED ON ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Jackson Were Married 25 Years Ago Yesterday, and Their Friends Took Them in Hand for Reception.

In honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Jackson of 7 Liberty street were tendered a surprise party in Odd Fellows' hall in the Gordon building last evening by 150 of their friends, representing the Universalist church, the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, business men, members of the Clover club, neighbors, and members of the white club which flourished among neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson some years ago.

The affair came as a complete surprise to the couple, as they were planning to pass the evening with friends on Sheridan street. It was not until after an automobile had called for them at the Jackson home, transported them to the Gordon block and halted long enough for a number of the men members of the party to carry them up into the Odd Fellows' headquarters that any inkling of the surprise dawned upon them. When escorted into the lighted hall, where a large number of people had congregated, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson remembered the day and realized that the merrymaking was in their honor.

One of the features of the evening came a few moments after the arrival of the guests, when Rev. J. B. Reardon, pastor of the Universalist church, arose and in a well-worded speech presented Mr. and Mrs. Jackson a handsome sum of money as a mark of esteem from the gathering of friends. Speaking for his wife as well as himself, Mr. Jackson made an appropriate response that voiced their appreciation of the manner in which their wedding anniversary was marked. Other gifts included a check from Mr. and Mrs. B. P. White of Morrisville, presents of Mr. Jackson, silverware and other presents from friends in Brattleboro.

Riley's orchestra was present throughout the evening and afterwards furnished music for a delightful dance order in Miles' hall in the building adjoining the Gordon block. At the dance intermission, the guests were served dainty refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake. Before the affair came to a close, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were showered with the congratulations of the entire company and well wishes for continued years of health and prosperity.

In charge of the anniversary observance were Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hooker, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Philbrick, who acted for the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Slayton, who represented the neighbors, and Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Hollister, who acted for the Universalist church members.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson were married in Montpelier July 23, 1887, by Rev. J. Edward Wright, who is at the present time pastor emeritus of the Church of the Messiah in Montpelier. All of their married life has been passed in Barre. Mr. Jackson is a member of the firm of The Frank McWhorter Co. and is one of the city's best known business men. Both are active in the Universalist church.

### "I'M NOT ENGAGED."

Vincent Astor Sailed for Europe To-day and Denied Recent Rumors.

New York, July 24.—Vincent Astor sailed for Europe on the Mauretania to-day and spent the last few minutes before the boat sailed in denying the recent rumors of his engagement. "I'm not engaged," he said, "and have no intention of being married anywhere in the near future."

### GENERAL CONDITION UNCHANGED.

Mikado Had A Good Night, Having Slept Well.

Tokio, July 24.—The official bulletin on the emperor's condition issued at six o'clock this morning reads: "The emperor slept well. Temperature 100.4; pulse 96; respiration 32. General condition unchanged."

### TALK OF THE TOWN

New things in the sale at Vaughan's. "The Home of Good Ice Cream." C. H. Kendrick.

For frozen pudding call at the Kendrick pharmacy.

Table girl and kitchen woman wanted at the hotel Otis.

Roast beef dinner to-morrow, 11:30 to 1:30, at the Hub.

Drink oxeheart cherry or cold butter-milk. Ice cold at Dodge's.

Another lot of those corsets received to-day in the sale at Vaughan's.

Andrew Waters of New York is spending several days in this city on business.

William LeClair of Waterbury arrived in this city this morning for a few days' visit with friends.

We will serve caramel and vanilla ice cream and frozen pudding to-day at the Kendrick pharmacy.

St. John's court, No. 522, will hold its annual picnic and clambake at Dewey park Saturday, July 27.

Dance in Howland hall after the band concert this evening. Riley's orchestra. Gents 50 cents, ladies free.

For ice cream of superior quality call at the Kendrick drug store. Vanilla, Caramel and frozen pudding.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hickey of Jewett City, Conn., are spending a few days at Leon J. Carroll's on North Main street.

Isaac Thomas of North Adams arrived in this city last night and will make an indefinite visit with friends on Granite street.

Regular meeting of St. John's court, No. 522, C. O. F. E., Thursday evening, April 25. A full attendance is requested. Important.

Joseph Frank, who has been visiting in this city for the past few days as the guest of friends on Granite street, left last night for his home at Waterbury, Conn.

James McKernon, John Leith and James Henry, who are employed at the Woodbury Granite company in Bethel, are passing a few days at their homes in this city.

Regular meeting of lumpers, boxers and derriekmen, No. 50, will be held in carpenters' hall Wednesday evening, July 24, at 7:30. Per order Cor. Sec. Thomas Holder.

A fine program at the Bijou to-day—an I. M. P. "The Land of Promise," an animated weekly, showing all the notable events, also a comedy. See this show.

Max Thomas of Randolph is passing a few days in this city as the guest of relatives on Clare street. Mr. Thomas was formerly employed at the Daylight store in this city.

At the regular meeting of the South Barre granite Thursday evening, July 25, Senator Daniels is expected to speak. All the members are asked to be present, as business of importance is to be brought up.

The large hammered spire of the monument to be placed on the Morse lot at the Elmwood cemetery was taken to the cemetery this morning from the Jones Bros. granite plant. Five pair of horses were necessary to cart the large stone.

The leaders of the Sunset and the Montpelier City leagues clash to-morrow night at Inter-city park. Graniteville is confident of winning with Bycraft in the box. The Logan Square team will use Laird against the fast-going hit team.

Eric E. Pirie of Maple avenue is engaged at Bethel, installing three Pirie sharpening machines at the Woodbury Granite company's plant. These machines are being set to replace the two sharpeners that were damaged beyond repair in a recent fire in the Blacksmith shop of the plant.

Both games in the Sunset league were postponed yesterday afternoon. The Barre Blue Sox management notified the Graniteville A. C. Monday that the game between the league leaders would have to be called off as the only available grounds were in use. The game between East Barre and Williamstown was also mutually called off.

### C. L. U. Delegates.

Regular meeting of the Central Labor union of Barre and vicinity will be held in Nichol's block, Friday evening, July 26, at 7:30 o'clock. James Mutch, secretary.

### TOO LATE TO BE CLASSIFIED.

FOR SALE—Bed, mattress and springs, velvet carpet, dining-room table and chairs. Call after 6 P. M. at Mrs. Cable's, No. 97 South Main street.

EXTRACTED BEES' HONEY—Crop of 1912 now ready; fifteen cents per pound net. Bring your container. H. W. Scott, 19 Richardson street.

FOR SALE—A well-built house, 10 x 15 feet, made of matched boards; easily moved. Also would sell 15 hens and 24 chickens, if wanted. Apply to James N. Roberts, 6 Mount Street, Barre.

### FOR SALE.

We have had placed with us for quick sale a first-class barber shop, is equipped with three chairs and all the furnishings that go to make up a good place. There is a bath room, connected, all nicely fitted up. There is also a good pool table and all that goes with it. The owner wants to sell right away, as he wishes to leave the city soon. The place is located in the City of Barre, on a busy street. For further particulars, call or address Barre Real Estate Agency, Barre, Vt. George L. Morris, Manager, Room 2 Wood Block.

### THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24, 1912.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Remnant sale Thursday at Fitts'. See the special value in silk petticoats at Abbott's.

Wash goods all reduced in the sale at Vaughan's.

Roast beef dinner to-morrow, 11:30 to 1:30, at the Hub.

For vacation, get one of those silk kimono at Abbott's.

Drink oxeheart cherry or cold butter-milk. Ice cold at Dodge's.

If you want a good silk waist, get one of those mark-downs at Abbott's.

Watch for it, wait for it. What! The big remnant sale at Fitts'.

A regular meeting of Barre lodge, No. 138, N. E. O. P., will be held to-night.

Fine wool serges, regular 50c and 55c goods at 38c per yard. Henry W. Knight.

Rudolph Cutting of Marshfield arrived in this city this morning and will visit friends for a few days.

Dance in Howland hall after the band concert this evening. Riley's orchestra. Gents 50 cents, ladies free.

James Brown of Bassett street returned last night, after spending several days in camp at Highgate Springs.

Public automobile: A new five-passenger Hudson car for hire, by the day or hour. Telephone 111-M, Papin Brothers.

Basket picnic at Benjamin Falls Thursday afternoon, July 25. All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs invited. Take 3:15 car.

Henry A. Buzzell of Pearl street left yesterday for Concord, N. H., where he will pass several days with his daughter.

Azro D. Morse has returned to his summer camp at Old Orchard, Me., after passing several days in the city on business.

Elder George Larson of the local Mormon mission has returned to Barre, after passing several days in Warren on business.

Ernest Martin, who graduated from Goddard seminary last June, is spending a few days in the city as the guest of friends.

Harold Ryeburg of North Main street returned to this city yesterday from Montreal, where he has been visiting for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Provencier, who have been visiting friends in the city for a few days, left yesterday for their home in Champlain, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pierce and son, Raymond of Currier street left this morning for Groton, where they will spend a few days in camp at Groton pond.

General Agent James N. Gall of the Barre railroad left last night on the Green Mountain express for Boston, where he will make a short business visit.

E. T. Lawrence, general freight agent for the Central Vermont railroad, and John O'Donnell, a civil engineer in the employ of the railroad, were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ugo Rossi and family, who have been visiting in this city for the past few months, leave this evening for Los Angeles, Cal., where Mr. Rossi has secured employment.

Mr. C. S. Andrews and two daughters, Mary and Majorie, who have been spending the past two weeks in camp at Mallets bay, have gone from that place to Moira, N. Y., where they will visit for about three weeks.

The ladies of the First Baptist church will open a food market on the church lawn Saturday afternoon, July 27, at 2:30. There will be on sale white bread, brown bread, baked beans, cake, doughnuts and cookies, made by some of the best cooks in Barre.

Vittoria Cecchini of Brook street left last night for Boston on the Green Mountain express. Mr. Cecchini sails from Boston on Friday for Italy for a few months' visit at his former home in Santa Brogga. He was accompanied by his wife and two children.

A special meeting of the Barre Auto Gun club will be held at the quarry-owners' rooms Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Times is requested to ask that all members make it a point to be present at the meeting, as important business is to be transacted.

At the regular meeting of Iroquois tribe, No. 16, Improved Order of Red Men, last night in the Worthen hall the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Angus McDonald to be sachem, James Rothman to be senior sagamore, George W. Cooper to be junior sagamore. The chiefs were raised to their respective stumps by Deputy Great Sachem W. W. Russell.

The Italian A. C. baseball team left yesterday afternoon for Saranac lake, where they play a series of three games with Saranac lake team. Rivetta, a recruit from New York, accompanied the I. A. S. team. Rivetta comes to this city with a great reputation behind him. He is a right-handed pitcher. Madini also accompanied the team on the trip.

Roast beef dinner to-morrow, 11:30 to 1:30, at the Hub.

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### GRANITEVILLE.

Washington camp, No. 14523, M. W. of A. will give a progressive whist party and dance at Washington on Thursday, July 25, at 8 p. m. Ladies bring supper box, to be sold at auction. Everybody invited. Per order entertainment committee.

Did you see the bed spread, shams and scarfs to match, at Vaughan's?

### She Appeared Only to a Child

By F. A. MITCHELL.

We in America who have outgrown a belief in the supernatural are not impressed by those legends that are still in vogue among peoples nearer to nature. Science, while it has advanced us, has taken much of the imagination out of us, leaving us like the stalks from which flowers have been stripped. I have envied those untutored persons who still believe the dead may at times mingle with the living.

While traveling in Spain I stopped for a few days in the province of La Mancha. The peasants of the region are much given to legends and believe in ghosts. I was walking through a valley one day when I came to a little church surrounded by the typical yard studded with tombstones. I went through the gate and came upon the sexton, who was digging a grave. It was a peaceful place, a hamlet of the dead, "such in his narrow cell," and I found myself regarding it as such rather than that the heaped mounds should cover only earth. I spoke to the sexton, who got out of the grave to answer certain questions I asked him. "Do you believe the dead ever come out of their graves and walk about here?"

"I have seen them myself, señor," he replied.

"In what form?"

"Of a moonlight night I have seen airy figures moving about among the tombs."

"Near by or from a distance?"

"From a distance. They are shy of us mortals."

"Don't you think what you say you have seen were rays of moonlight coming through the branches of the trees?"

"Oh, no, señor," he replied. "They are really the dead. But it is of no use to try to get near them, for as soon as mortals approach they become invisible."

"Are there no persons they will permit to approach them?"

"Now, I asked the question with a purpose, for I confess I am not a disbeliever in communications between the living and the dead and have a belief in the theory that some persons are susceptible of being impressed by spirits—in other words, are mediums."

The man leaned on his spade and appeared to be thinking. The southern sun gilded his wrinkled brow as he framed his reply, and it occurred to me that he would make a fine model for an artist.

"The only persons I have ever known them to appear to in their human shapes are children. There is one person buried here—a woman—who will always manifest herself to a child. They say, señor, that she lost all of her children before they reached the age of twelve. If a child comes here she will arise from her grave and sit upon the tomb built over it and look at the little one wistfully."

This was something definite, and I became interested. "Will she permit a child to approach her?" I asked.

"The children who have seen her say that as they approach she fades away and when they get to the tomb there is no one there."

"Do the children only see her when they are here alone?"

"Children are never here alone. They are not admitted when alone. If they come it is under the care of older persons."

"And do the older persons see this spirit?"

"No, señor; they do not."

"I cannot believe your story, but I admit there is something about it that appeals to me."

"If señor will bring a child he will be convinced."

That would be easy. I was traveling with a party of Americans, among whom were several children. I could easily bring one of them to the churchyard. I chatted for some time longer with the sexton; then, putting a piece of money in his hand and telling him I would be with him the next afternoon, I left him.

There was a boy of seven in our party, a delicately organized little fellow, and I asked him the next day to go to walk with me. He gladly assented, and I took him to the churchyard. The sexton was there putting supports under some of the tottering stones, and I chatted with him while the boy played among the tombs. I kept my eye on the child and presently saw him looking in the direction of the tomb of the lady who appeared to children. Then he began to move slowly toward it. The sexton noticed him and gave me a knowing look. The boy kept his eyes fixed on the tomb and approached it with timid steps. When he came near it he paused. Then presently he turned and retraced his steps.

"Why did you go to that tomb?" I asked him.

"Because I saw a lady sitting on it who beckoned me to come to her. But when I got to the tomb she wasn't there."

"What became of her?"

"I don't know."

"What did she look like?"

"I thought her a kind looking lady, and it seemed as if she wanted to take me in her arms and pet me."

"Did you ever see her before?"

"No."

"You see," said the sexton, "I did not tell you an untruth."

Nor did he to the best of my knowledge and belief. I do not expect others to believe that the boy saw a spirit, but for myself how can I help it?

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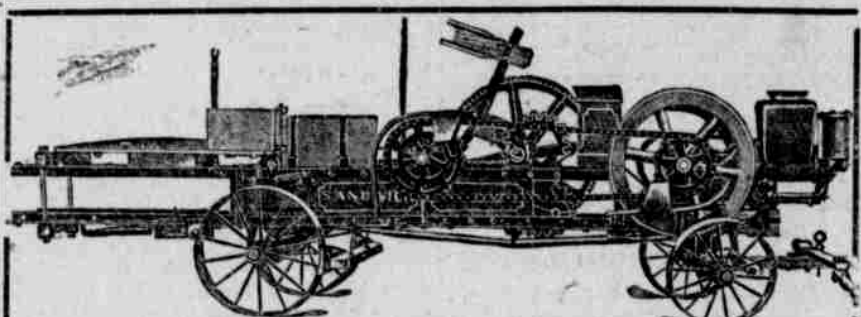
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